

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:	§	EXAMINER: Not Assigned
Michael Siskin et al	§	
	§	CONFIRMATION NO.:
SERIAL NO.: U.S. National Phase of	§	Not Assigned
PCT/US2005/003061	§	
	§	GROUP ART UNIT:
FILED: February 1, 2005	§	Not Assigned
	§	
FOR: Synthesis of Sterically Hindered	§	AGENT'S REFERENCE NO.:
Secondary Aminoether Alcohols	§	P2004J007
from Acid Anhydride and/or Acid	§	
Halide and Sulfur Trioxide	§	

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicants respectfully request entry of the instant Preliminary Amendment in this application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are listed beginning on page 3 of this paper.